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WORLD WAR HEROES NEGLECTED AND FORGOTTEN ARE INMATES OF TUBERCULOSIS COLONY OAK FOREST

Public Spirited Citizens Take Interest in Sick Soldiers

A pitiful story of the neglect and desolate condition in which 85 soldiers have found themselves since they contracted tuberculosis while in the service abroad, comes from Oak Forest. These poor soldier lads have been forgotten by their government, but it remained for the good people of Blue Island to find them to cheer them. A fund has been raised by the Blue Island Sun-Standard to help better the condition of these tubercular soldiers. The small sum of 10 cents has been asked from each person to help aid these disabled soldiers and the response has been quite liberal.

The presence of these neglected American soldiers at Oak Forest is a shame and a disgrace to the community. These boys are said to be blue and despondent. After having done their duty in the war they have been sent to a county institution for the poor and left there to suffer, neglected and forgotten. The American Legion at Blue Island is doing its best to better the conditions of these men, but it has been a tremendous strain on its treasury.

This is a fine sample of gratitude shown by a patriotic people to their heroes. Where are our shouting, flag-waving patriots now who were so anxious to see these same boys go to the front and now since they have done their duty and are disabled for life they are so shamefully forgotten and neglected?

That true patriotism is still alive is shown by the fact that Blue Island has taken an interest in the welfare of these disabled heroes and its people are doing much to alleviate the suffering of these men.

A month ago life was a dreary lot for these 85 tubercular soldiers of the World War, but a lot of good people in Blue Island and elsewhere have changed all that. Now the Oak Forest lads are beginning to enjoy their existence again. Sunday night Miss Jean Mulhern, dancing instructor of Blue Island, took eight of her little pupils to Oak Forest to dance for the amusement of the sick soldiers. The children were picked as the stars of Miss Mulhern's scores of pupils.

They entertained the soldiers with a number of fancy and aesthetic dances, both singly and in groups.

On Sunday the members of the Roseland post of the American Legion traveled to Oak Forest, taking with them fruit, candy and other goodies for the sick veterans.

A New Schedule

The News-Bulletin has found it necessary to adopt the following schedule for handling news items and display advertisements beginning with this week's issue. All news items must be in the editor's hands by Monday night at 8 p.m. Any items received later will have to be carried over to the following week. These schedules are found absolutely necessary in order to get the paper out on time. The editor will greatly appreciate it if this schedule is followed. A newspaper must have a schedule to run on. A hit or miss policy does not work out.

HAND YOUR SUBSCRIPTION TO BOY SCOUTS

The Mokena Boy Scouts are showing a very enterprising and hustling spirit in getting subscriptions to the News-Bulletin. The past week a goodly number of new and renewal subscriptions have been turned in. The boys are receiving 10 per cent commission on each subscription and the money goes into the scout treasury. Hand your subscription to the boy scout collectors, who will call on you. Help the boy scout by giving them your subscription. Everybody in Mokena should be a subscriber to the News-Bulletin. It is a home institution and should be accorded a liberal support. One way to help is about upholding home trade and home industry and here is a chance for you Mokena people to live up to suggestion. If you do not care enough to boom your home industry you cannot expect to have your own amount to anything. It is only the towns that stick together and do not jealous to see the other fellow make a success that counts for something. Every business in every town should be given the fullest measure of support by its home people, by boosting in the right way community can be built up and make a thriving business center. No one makes a dead town. Let us all make our home towns live towns, which can justly be proud of.

MOKENA WINS THE BERRIES IN TIGHTWAD CLASS

The following appeared in the Chicago Examiner Thursday morning:

The stingiest person in the world is a philanthropist compared one I recently heard about.

Mokena, Illinois boasts a number of beautiful residences, homes of wealthy and retired farmers, most of whom are old settlers. Sometime ago one of these died, and naturally the bereaved family asked some of the old timers to act as pall bearers. They did, but one of them sent in a bill for \$2 for services rendered.

WHOOPING COUGH IMPROVING.

The whooping cough epidemic is on the wane. The cases under quarantine are improving as well those suspected.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lowe entertained a company of relatives and friends Wednesday night.

Miss Edna Bechstein, who has been confined to her home with an attack of pleurisy, is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nielsen visited in Blue Island Saturday night.

BOY SCOUTS DOING GOOD.

The Mokena Boy Scouts are coming right along and a great deal of interest and enthusiasm is prevailing. The boys have already lived up to the requirement of doing a kind deed each day. They have taken up the benches in the park and stored them. This work was done for the Home Improvement club and is much appreciated.

READY FOR PUMPING OUTFIT.

The village board met in special session last Thursday night to consider bids for the new well equipment. The week before Mr. Hicks of the Fairbanks-Morse Co., had presented his bid and this time Mr. Spiers of the American Well Works of Aurora submitted his estimate. The board could come to any final decision as to which offer to accept. The matter will be decided on shortly.

EXTEND CITY WATER.

The city water has been extended to the Chas. Guether home the past week. Over a thousand feet of pipe were laid to carry the water up to the Guether place.

TEACHER TAKEN ILL.

Miss Nonnan, who is teaching in the local public school, was taken ill Wednesday and obliged to go home at noon to Joliet.

ENTERTAINS HOME IMPROVEMENT.

Mrs. Chas. Reynolds was hostess to the members of the Home Improvement club Tuesday afternoon. A fine program in keeping with the Thanksgiving season was carried out.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Oswald and daughters Misses Wanita and Ruby, visited over Sunday in Chicago with Mr. and Mrs. Mathew Catton.

ACCIDENT VICTIMS IMPROVING.

Robert Maue, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Maue, who suffered a broken leg a week ago when he got his foot caught in the revolving wheel of a wagon driven by Fred Knudson, as he was attempting to climb on the wagon while in motion, is improving nicely.

Mrs. Fred Knudson, who figured in a bad auto accident in Joliet recently, is also improving. She was with the John Kohl family when their car was struck by another auto and with such force as to throw Mrs. Knudson through the curtains of the car out onto the sidewalk. She was quite badly bruised and cut.

HOLD MONTHLY COFFEE.

The monthly coffee of the Ladies' Aid society of the St. John's Evangelical church was held at the Mokena hall, last Thursday. A good sized attendance is reported.

IN GOLD WE TRUST

That the trend of the American public of late years has been to follow after Mammon and to the exclusion of the high ideals of our forefathers was vividly brought out in a Thanksgiving sermon at the M. E. church at Mokena, Sunday, by Rev. Mr. Palmer. In his sermon Rev. Mr. Palmer showed the significance of Thanksgiving day to the American people showing how much we have to be thankful for. He further showed that it was only through the lofty idealism of our forefathers and of the Puritan fathers that America has become the great republic which it is today. He pointed out that when the Pilgrims landed they had first drawn up a compact providing for a form of government following which they prayed to God to guide them and it is only when a nation takes the Lord as its guide that it becomes great. Rev. Mr. Palmer emphasized the fact that the American people are showing a religious spirit by having the inscription on their coins "In God We Trust" but that many people of this day and age are doing their best to make the inscription read "In Gold We Trust."

The League of Nations, which was declared a dead issue, was also touched on. Rev. Mr. Palmer stated that there cannot be any successful League of Nations and any permanent peace among nations until the nations learn to take the Lord into their affairs and live according to his precepts.

Orland Gets More Trains On Wabash

Orland, Nov. 26.—Orland has been given added train service to Chicago by the addition of two new trains on the Wabash railroad. One train gets here from the city at 9:30 p. m. and one 12:30 midnight. This last train returns to the city again at 6 a. m. the following morning. This new suburban service gives Orland a fine service between neighboring stations and Chicago.

ORGANIZE BASKET BALL TEAM.

The Orland Park club members have organized a basketball team among themselves and expect to play soon. It is probable that teams from the neighboring towns will be played later.

TO GIVE PLAY.

The Orland Park club is busily engaged on their play "Pink Dominoes" which they will hold at Woodman hall on December 18. This is said to be a very interesting play and everyone is invited to see it and by doing so help the club.

THREE DAY CONVENTION HELD.

Orland was the scene of a three day convention of the Southern district of the Northern Illinois Synod of the Lutheran church. Forty delegates from throughout the district were present. The three-day session held last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, convened at the local Lutheran church, Rev. Mr. Schultz being the host.

NEW BANK BUILDING COMPLETED.

The new building of the Orland State bank has been completed and is a big asset to the town. It provides not only quarters for the bank itself, but also for the Orland Park club and the Chicago Telephone Co. The club has moved into its new quarters and the telephone company has moved its office into the new building, moving in Tuesday of this week. The new building is modern and up to date in every particular.

Word comes that Roy Newton and family, who moved to Plainfield, Wis., like their new home and are getting nicely settled.

Bazaar Big Affair.

One of the most important events which have taken place in local church circles was the bazaar given by the Ladies Guild of the Orland M. E. church at the church parlors last Friday. The affair was a great success socially and financially. A crowd estimated at 300 persons attended the bazaar which resulted in a net clearance of \$300 for the ladies who deeply appreciate the fine support that was accorded their enterprise. Not only the local folks turned out in large numbers, but people from Iowa and Montana were present, as well as from other towns. The Rev. Mr. Brown states that this event has eclipsed anything held before in his church.

New Rock Island Time Table

EFFECTIVE 12:01 A. M., NOVEMBER 21.

WEST BOUND			
No.	Leave Chicago	Arrive Mokena	Ar. Joliet
17	7:00 a. m.	Daily except Sunday	8:10 a. m.
199	7:00 a. m.	Sunday only	8:10 a. m.
115	8:20 a. m.	Daily	9:30 a. m.
125	11:45 a. m.	Daily	12:46 p. m.
11	1:00 p. m.	Daily	1:58 p. m.
129	1:30 p. m.	Saturday only (flag stop)	2:45 p. m.
133	3:32 p. m.	Daily	4:56 p. m.
141	4:55 p. m.	Daily except Sunday	5:59 p. m.
161	6:05 p. m.	Daily except Sunday	7:08 p. m.
171	7:50 p. m.	Daily	9:08 p. m.
20	11:30 p. m.	Daily	12:30 a. m.
Stops to discharge passengers from Chicago at N. A.			
EAST BOUND			
No.	Leave Joliet	Arrive Mokena	Ar. Chicago
230	5:20 a. m.	Daily	6:40 a. m.
114	6:30 a. m.	Daily except Sunday	6:46 a. m.
128	7:05 a. m.	Daily except Sunday	7:24 a. m.
142	7:55 a. m.	Daily	8:22 a. m.
150	12:05 p. m.	Daily	12:22 p. m.
156	1:50 p. m.	Daily	2:08 p. m.
186	4:25 p. m.	Sunday only	4:48 p. m.
188	6:00 p. m.	Sunday only	6:18 p. m.
18	6:00 p. m.	Daily except Sunday	6:22 p. m.

FRANKLIN MALL KILLED BY TRAIN AT WAUKESHAU

Harry Mall received a telephone message Monday advising him of a fatal accident which befell his youngest brother, Franklin, who has been attending a military school at Waukesha, Wisconsin. While going over a railroad crossing he was hit by a train and so seriously injured that he died shortly afterward. He had visited in Mokena at times with his brother Harry Mall, manager of the local lumber business of the Frank Mall Lumber Co., was known by a number of the Mokena residents who sympathize with Mr. Mall in his tragic bereavement.

Returned Missionary Speaks At Nen Lenox

New Lenox, Nov. 26.—A very interesting meeting of the New Lenox Missionary society was held at the home of Mrs. John Seagrigh, Saturday afternoon. Raynor Smith, a returned missionary from India, gave a very interesting talk on the home life of the people of India. He pointed out the needs of more missionaries and the great work which yet remains to be done. White ants are a great pest in that country and are very destructive. They destroy whatever they can eat. Mr. Smith was in charge of a language school. His wife died some time ago and he was granted a leave of absence and brought his little son with him.

The King's Herald's will meet at the Lawrence Beadle home next Saturday afternoon.

Bert Brown is recovering from an attack of blood poison resulting from running a sliver in his foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Ritzma of Chicago have been guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hendrickson.

Word comes that Miss Mamie Pearson, who moved to Belleplaine, Minn., last spring with her parents, is teaching school in that locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Sinclair and daughter Margaret, spent Sunday in Orland with Mrs. Sinclair's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Job Sayers.

Wm O'Reilly has been busy shredding corn the past week.

Mrs. James Owen is ill.

The dances of the New Lenox dance club continue to draw big crowds. A very orderly lot of dancers are reported to be attending these dances which are making them popular. This season promises to be even more successful than last.

The new Lenox school will remain closed Thursday and Friday in observance of Thanksgiving.

MOKENA COUPLE ARE MARRIED ON THANKSGIVING

Fred Hentsch, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Hentsch of Mokena and Miss Louise Wannemacher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Wannemacher also of Mokena, were united in marriage Thanksgiving night, the wedding being held at the Immanuel Lutheran church, Rev. W. J. Kemnitz officiating. A more detailed account of this wedding will appear in next week's issue. The large host of friends of this well known and popular young couple wish them much joy and happiness.

More Scarlet Fever.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ona E. McCoveny has been taken ill with scarlet fever and the home is under quarantine.

THANKSGIVING DUCK PROVES ELUSIVE BIRD

Frankfort, Nov. 26.—A seven-pound duck for Thanksgiving dinner scented that its days were numbered and made its escape from a Joliet and Eastern Traction car Monday evening. Floyd Warning had placed the duck in a sack but did not tie the sack. He placed the sack and duck in the vestibule of the car. When half way between Frankfort and New Lenox Mr. Warning got up to see what his Thanksgiving bird was doing and was dumfounded to find the duck had worked out of the sack and flown out of the car. The conductor was notified, but no trace of the duck was found. Mr. Warning got off at the school house road crossing and went back with a flash light to hunt his Thanksgiving dinner.

Bazaar Clears \$651.00.

The annual bazaar of the Ladies Aid Society of the St. Peter's Evangelical church which was held at the church parlors last Thursday was a tremendous success. Everything on sale was sold out. The bazaar was in the afternoon and evening. The proceeds were heavy, leaving a net clearance of \$651.00.

Start Work on New Hotel.

Cavallini and Company of Blue Island who recently purchased the Collier Inn are having a force of men engaged remodeling the place.

Price of Land Declining.

Very few real estate transfers as regards farm sales are noted in this section. The bankers declare that farm land values are dropping off as high as \$25 to \$50 per acre. The downward trend of everything is making itself felt in all lines of business. Flour has taken a drop of \$2.50 per barrel in a week. Grain has had the bottom knocked out of it entirely. A large number of farmers have been caught with a lot of last year's and this year's grain on hand. They had been holding out for higher prices and when the prices started the downward trend it was hoped the market would rally and that prices would advance again, but instead the prices have kept going down until now the grain prices stand on a level of those of 1907, thirteen years ago.

Start Xmas Program.

The pupils and teachers of the St. Peter's Evangelical church have already started on their annual Christmas program. The exercises this year will be quite elaborate.

Observe Thanksgiving.

Thanksgiving was quietly observed here. Services were held at the St. Peter's Evangelical church in the morning. On Wednesday night the Frankfort Hall Co. held a Thanksgiving dance.

To Give Oyster Supper.

The Brotherhood of the St. Peter's Evangelical church will hold an oyster supper at the church parlors on the evening of December 9th.

Tractor Business Booming.

The tractor business is booming in this section. Heuser, Mager and Geuther have sold the following machines the past week: Titan 10-20 tractor to Adam Heuser, Sr.; 15-30 Parrett tractor to Herman Dietrich, Matteson; 15-30 Parrett tractor to Frank Powell, Orland; two 10-20 Titan tractors to Brown Bros., New Lenox; 10-20 Titan tractor to Fred Fuchs, Mokena, and a second-hand tractor to Fred West, Frankfort.

The monthly meeting of the Brotherhood of the St. Peter's Evangelical church will be held at the church basement the first Tuesday evening in December.

The Frauen Verein of this church will meet at the church the first Wednesday in December.

Stork Busy Bird.

The stork has been a busy bird in this section the past week. Born, on Nov. 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Genens an eight-pound son. Born, on Nov. 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jacobs an eight-pound girl.

Mrs. Carl Bettenhausen who underwent an operation at the Silver Cross hospital, Joliet, on Monday, Nov. 15th, is convalescing nicely.

Miss Ella Lankenau, who was operated on at the same hospital Nov. 16th is improving nicely.

\$170 CLEARED AT TINLEY PARK BOX SOCIAL

The Epworth League of the German M. E. church held a box social at the Joe Andres home Tuesday evening. In spite of the stormy evening there was a good attendance and all enjoyed a fine time.

This was the greatest social success of the season, one hundred and seventy dollars being cleared. Mrs. Savage of Seattle, Washington sang a number of solos.

Masquerade Next.

The first prize masquerade of the season will be given by George Lorenz at the Saenger Hall, December 4th. Music by Pioneer Jazz Band. The following prizes will be given: Best dressed lady, ivory clock; best dressed gent, safety razor; most comical gent, 1 box 10c and 15c cigars; most comical lady, 2 pound box of candy; best dressed group of six ladies, \$8.00 cash; best dressed farmer, \$2.00 cash; best dressed milk maid, box linen handkerchiefs; best dressed Jew, 1 box 10c and 15c cigars; best colored lady, 1 box stationery; best colored gent, 1 box 10c and 15c cigars. Masks off at 10:30 p. m.

Rummy Club Meets.

The Tinley Park Rummy Club meets Friday night with Mrs. Henry Niemann. Next Wednesday night Mrs. Henry Wilke will entertain this club.

Mrs. George Schreiber who has been in poor health for some time, suffered a severe attack of illness Tuesday.

Bg Poultry Rush.

Adam Keuch and Son report that they have had a heavy run on poultry. On Saturday they sold 1157 pounds of geese to the Blue Island branch of Morris and Company, also 556 pounds of chickens. About 200 pounds poultry were sold to the same company on Friday and 175 pounds of geese on Monday.

Gladys, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Hollstein, has been very ill. She is somewhat better.

Mrs. Henry Wilke and daughter, Miss Jessie, attended a birthday party in Joliet at the home of the former's brother, George Zeir, on Saturday. They remained over Sunday.

The big special sale at Vogt's store has been drawing big crowds all week. This sale will close December 1st.

The German M. E. Sunday School has started their annual Christmas program.

John Fahrenholz is offering his farm for sale and will quit farming.

CAMP ROOSEVELT

Camp Roosevelt veterans are busily engaged in competing for prizes offered by prominent public spirited men and organizations. The men who are offering the prizes are interested in seeing what the reaction of the time spent at Camp Roosevelt is. They want to learn the things which the boys liked most at camp. The great desire is to have every boy enjoy himself as much as possible during the time that he is at camp, and these organizations and men are taking this way of ascertaining the most popular activities. Each boy is to write a letter telling of the activity which he was most interested in while at camp. The activities include the following: High school, R. O. T. C., athletics, Y. M. C. A., Red Cross, Swimming, First Aid, W. J. R. C., Rifle Range, Camp Roosevelt News, Photography and Ground Aviation.

One of the ideas underlying the present plan is to give each boy an opportunity not only to win a prize, but it is thought to be splendid means of securing a Christmas gift.

The contest closes on December 5, and the awards will be announced shortly thereafter.

There are some five thousand Camp Roosevelt veterans in the different parts of the United States. They are boys who have attended Camp Roosevelt, either in the summer of 1919 or 1920. This camp is the greatest boys' training camp and playground in the country. It is located near Muskegon, Michigan. It is conducted under the auspices of the Chicago Board of Education. Captain F. L. Beals, who is supervisor of physical education, as well as commandant of the reserve officers training corps in the Chicago high schools, is the commandant of the camp.

Life's Best Tasks.

Life calls upon us to fill the place of men and women in the ranks of courageous world workers—gives us manifold jobs in the service of our fellow men. Every weak turning aside from these tasks is traitorous to our own self-respect. If we shrink because the work is hard, we forfeit our own respect and that of everyone who knows us.—Orison Swett Marden in Chicago News.

LAST NIGHT'S DREAMS

—WHAT THEY MEAN

DID YOU DREAM ABOUT SHEEP?

MOST dreams of rural life and country scenes appear to be regarded by the authorities of Dreamland as favorable omens. To dream of seeing a flock of sheep, for instance, is a very good indication for the future. To be surrounded by them increases the good luck and a flock of lambs foretells even more good luck than a flock of sheep. But just to gaze upon a flock of sheep feeding in the pastures of your dreams means that you will have success in life.

If you are unmarried and dream that you are watching the little lambs skip about, your sweetheart is faithful and of a good disposition. Also, if you are a man, the lady of your choice is inclined to say "Yes," if you will but pop the question. If you are married and see sheep or lambs in the visions of your slumbers you will have children who will acquire riches and be a great comfort to you. If you pick up a lamb and

carry it in your dreams you will be a lucky person indeed.

If a sailor dreams of sheep it means great luck and a safe and prosperous voyage to him. If you see yourself shearing sheep it is an indication that you will shortly make money by a business enterprise, though, according to some of the wisecracks, it means that you will have to struggle hard for this success. But it isn't good to see the sheep running away from you, for that indicates that some of your pretended friends are really trying to injure you. It is a warning to be on your guard. Also it is a bad sign to hear the lambs baa or to see them killed. If you see your flock of dream sheep lean and scraggy look out for your investments carefully if you would profit by them.

With the few exceptions noted the lambs and muttons of Dreamland are much to be desired and come far cheaper than in the markets of the world of actualities, the food profiteer not as yet having obtained a foothold in the realm of shadows.

SCHOOL DAYS



THE GIRL ON THE JOB

How to Succeed—How to Get Ahead—How to Make Good

By JESSIE ROBERTS

JOB AND YOUR HEALTH

IS A WOMAN as strong as a man? Given the same stature and weight, can she do equally hard work and not suffer for it?

Among many other matters that the war proved or disproved, this seems also to be settled—and settled in the negative. She can't!

Woman can do the same work, given a like training. But she breaks down under it where the man remains unimpaired.

In France and England women for five years did the work of men. They have not stood up under the strain as men do. In England, physicians' reports show that of two thousand five hundred women examined in one industry, 42 per cent were found to be suffering from severe physical exhaustion or actual ill health, brought on by overwork. Yet men stood up under the same work without difficulty.

We are none of us likely to go into munition factories or to undertake heavy labor. But there is more in this than the fact that a woman ought not to attempt such feats. A girl who is looking about for a job ought to think of it in regard to herself—in regard to her health. The nervous and high-strung girl should not take up telephoning, for instance, nor should she go into a large and noisy office. She won't stand the strain.

A girl I knew who made a success of a small tea and lunch room got ambitious and took the whole house. She rented rooms and served a dinner as well as breakfast and lunch. She

gave good meals and good service, had a large force of assistants to manage, and in six months she broke down and had to go to a sanitarium, where she died.

Your health is priceless. And once shaken, it isn't easy to get into good shape again. Look at your health as part of your capital, and conserve it. Never let your job borrow from that capital. There are times when you cannot control the thing, and when you do you must do the best you can and hope to get through with it. But most of us are just careless. It doesn't pay.

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Mother's Cook Book

The common things of life are all so dear; The moon's soft rays that through the leaves doth shine, The morning's sun on glistening waves so clear, The clouds of gorgeous hue, are mine and thine.

—Edith L. Farrell.

HOLIDAY GOOD THINGS.

As Christmas draws near we turn to the good old fashioned cakes and candies.

Gala Cake.

Cream one-half cupful of shortening, add one cupful of granulated sugar. Beat two egg yolks until light, add to them one-half cupful of sugar. Beat the egg and sugar mixture into the butter and sugar, and when thoroughly blended add one cupful of milk alternately with three cupfuls of flour, sifted with four teaspoonfuls of baking powder and one-half teaspoonful of salt. Beat well and fold in the stiffly beaten whites and pour into a single loaf cake pan, buttered and papered and bake thirty minutes. When cool, spread with

A Christmas Bowl.

Bake six greenings and three Baldwin's without removing the skins or cores. When tender add four quarts of boiling water, the thin yellow rind of three lemons and four oranges and two bay leaves. Let simmer twenty minutes, then strain through a bag, pressing out the juice. Boil three cupfuls of sugar with a pint of water 20 minutes. Add to the liquid with one cupful of black tea infusion and set aside to become cold. Then add the fruit juices and a small bottle of maraschino cherries with the syrup. Let stand several hours before serving.

Corn Balls.

Put three tablespoonfuls of butter into a saucepan and when melted add

two cupfuls of molasses and two-thirds of a cupful of sugar. Stir until the sugar is dissolved. Boil until the mixture is brittle when dropped in cold water. Pour over six quarts of popped corn. Butter the fingers and shape into balls before it gets too cool.

Peanut Brittle.

Melt a cupful or more of sugar in a smooth frying pan stirring until a good brown; pour over a pan of peanuts and put to cool.

Nellie Maxwell
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THE WOODS

BY DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THE MYSTERY.

Heard a rustle in the brush
Only yesterday;
Heard a rustle in the hush,
Somethin' out of sight—
Jest a footfall on the ground,
Shakin' of a tree;
But we argued all around
What the thing could be.

Jack, the stable-boy, he said
Likely 'twas a colt—
Farmer's colt that got its head,
Broke its halter holt.
Bill, the cookhouse flunkey, swore
'Twas a bear or cub
Huntin' round the cookhouse door
For a snack of grub.

Pete, who likes to hunt when fall
Comes around each year,
Said it wasn't that at all—
That it was a deer.
Frank, who drives the two-ox pair,
Said they made him laff,
Said their colt or deer or bear
Simply was a caff.

So they set an' argued
What the thing could be;
Ev'ry fellow took a side,
Had a theory.
Jack he chinned it with the chaps,
Bill with all the boys;
Mac, who's deer, he said perhaps
There wasn't any noise.

What the rustle was about,
No one ever knew;
But one fact I figured out
From that gabby crew:
People look with different eyes,
Hear with different ears;
That what closest to them lies
Ev'rything appears.

Ev'ry nation is the best
To the man from there,
Ev'ry state beats all the rest
When their sons compare.
Do you wonder at the lot
Of religious creeds?
Each a special God has got
For his special needs.

Harps an' music fer the gay,
Huntin' fer the red;
Atheists expect to stay
Permanently dead;
Streets of sapphire for the Jew;
Fer the weary, rest—
Each, accordin' to his view,
Thinks his heaven best.

An' I'm puzzled, I admit,
Puzzled at the maze—
Heaven, you kin figger it
Forty-seven ways:
Heaven with a street of gold;
With a Jasper gate;
Heaven where the very old
Still must sit an' wait.

If there are so many there,
There beyond the blue,
Heavens round an' heavens square,
Gentle, Injun, Jew—
All that I can do is trust,
Since they can't agree,
When I lay me "dust to dust"
There'll be one fer me.

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THE ROMANCE OF WORDS

"CIGAR."

A NUMBER of prominent etymologists, among them Littré, have endeavored to prove the word "cigar" is derived from the Spanish cigarra, meaning grasshopper, and that it was applied to the rolled leaves of tobacco by reason of their similarity in shape to the body of this insect. This explanation, while ingenious, hardly fits the facts in the case, for when tobacco was first introduced into Spain from Cuba, it was grown in gardens or cigarales, as the Spanish call them.

The wealthier Spaniards had a fad of raising tobacco in their cigarales and making their own cigars, which they would proffer with the explanation "Es de mi cigarra!" ("It is from my garden") as proof that the tobacco was wholesome and home-grown. Before long the expression changed to "Este cigarro es de mi cigarra," which might be literally translated, "This garden product from my garden," and it was from this that the word "cigar" originated.

However, in the final analysis, the grasshopper does have something to do with it—for the Spanish "cigarra" or "garden" is so-called because it is the place where the grasshopper ("cigarra") resides.

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THE WHITE MAN'S BURDEN



Wheat—"Take Him Off and I Can Carry the Rest."

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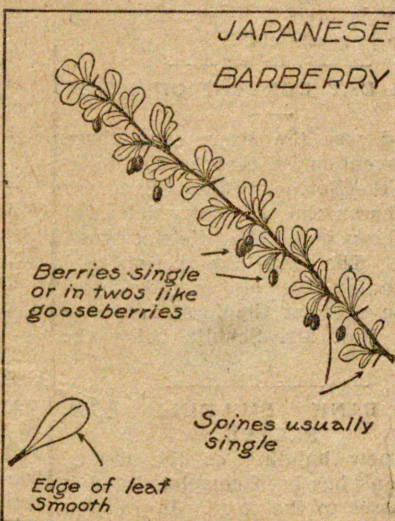
The white man has been referred to in speech and in verse as having one of the heavy burdens of life to bear. This burden, real or fancied, may be heavy, but to the world, it in no way compares with the accumulated burdens borne by the farmer in the production of the wheat crop upon which the world depends for its staff of life.

If the crop escapes bad weather—cold, ice, flood, hail, frost, drought, or hot winds—various insects may be lurking about to feed upon what remains. Plant diseases in the form of smuts, rusts, and scabs have taken varying toll during past years, but, as a rule, they have been less fully understood than the troubles from weather or insects. Among these diseases are the loose smut, stinking smut or bunt, the black-stem rust, the leaf rust, and the scab or blight. Of all these the black-stem rust has taken the heaviest toll in the northern states, from year to year, and in years of rust epidemics it has caused appalling losses. Hope is now held out to the wheat growers of the northern part of the United States that the control of black-stem rust is possible by the eradication of common barberry.

It is important that everyone should understand that the harmful barberry is the tall green common European barberry and its purple variety, and may be distinguished by the following characteristics. Usually it is four to six feet tall, though it may reach ten or even fifteen feet if the bushes are old. The edges of the rather large leaves are toothed, the teeth ending in small spiny points. On the stems, at the base of each cluster of leaves, are three or more stout, sharp spines. The light yellow flowers and red berries are borne in long clusters like currants. This bush, or any that resembles it closely, is harmful and should be destroyed.

Japanese Variety Harmless.

In contrast to this tall bush there is a low spreading barberry, known as Japanese barberry, which in some localities is more widely planted than the tall or common barberry. The Japanese barberry is seldom over three feet tall and has small leaves with entire edges. The spines on the stems



A twig of Japanese barberry, showing its smaller leaves with no teeth on the edges, the spines on the stem usually one or sometimes two in a place, and the red berries singly or in small and short clusters of two, like gooseberries. (Compare with the common barberry.)

are only one in a place. The flowers are borne singly or in twos. The berries are a dark red in color, borne singly or in twos, like gooseberries, and have a thicker skin than those of the common barberry. This barberry is harmless as it does not carry the stem rust and should not be destroyed.

If every property owner in the northern wheat-growing states of Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Wisconsin and Wyoming co-operate, it will be possible to take this "Old Man of the Sea," black-stem rust, off the shoulders of the wheat grower. Every property should be carefully examined for

the harmful barberry and all bushes found should be eradicated so that no roots remain to sprout. No seedlings should be allowed to grow near it or under trees or bushes, along fences or streams, in brushy pastures, or in any places where birds might carry the seeds. In this way you help to increase the prosperity of your community by increasing the production of wheat and other grains and of life.



A twig of common barberry, showing the larger leaves with toothed edges, the spines on the stems usually in threes, and the red berries in long drooping bunches, like currants. (Compare with the Japanese barberry.)

also help to supply more food for the whole world.

Further information may be obtained from the United States Department of Agriculture or your state agricultural college.

Wide Interest Shown in Work.

The wide interest taken in the work of eradication has been evidenced by the numerous requests received by the department during the past fiscal year for informational material for use in the infested areas. Lack of funds has hampered somewhat the department's campaign against barberry. It was able, however, to supply a large number of posters, bulletins, circulars, and other matter for distribution.

A survey to locate barberries was begun in the larger cities because of the better means for spreading information. It was extended then to the towns, so that now nearly all cities and towns having a population of over 300 have been surveyed. An intensive survey of the entire rural area outside of the cities and towns has been begun. Already about 50 counties have been covered, the survey reaching every farmstead and brushy pastures and woodlands in the entire area. This means traveling every section line, many half section lines and scouting the woodlands rod by rod.

A very important part of this survey is finding the escaped barberries which have started from seeds dropped by birds in thickets and pastures. Over 1,674,000 escaped bushes were found during the past year. A total of almost 1,900,000 bushes was found in rural districts last year. Records to date show that 3,865,426 bushes have been located and 3,705,142 bushes removed.

BEST-GRADED PRODUCTS WIN

Standardization Establishes Common Language Between Buyer and Seller.

It has been demonstrated many times that in the markets of the world the seller with the best-graded products is the favorite, because graded goods are standard and the buyer knows what he will get when he buys. Standardization establishes a common language between the buyer in one country and the seller in another, which creates understanding and confidence and prevents disputes.

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If you are in the wrong an ally is always welcome.

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After all, being careful is largely a matter of habit.

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The Kitchen Cabinet

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And joy to him who o'er his task
Remembers toll is nature's plan;
Who working thinks and never sinks
His independence, is a man.

—Mackay.

SEASONABLE GOOD THINGS.

The tenderloin of beef is considered a great dainty, but unless it is cooked with good seasoning it is insipid and unpalatable.



Larded Beef Tenderloin With Bananas.—For larding use a strip of salt pork near the rind.

Cut the pork in narrow strips one-fourth of an inch thick and one-fourth of an inch wide, as long as possible. Chill the lardons in ice water and draw them into the beef with a larding needle, inserting them in rows. Sear the meat until the meat is browned on all sides, then leave to cool on the larded side. Baste six or more times while roasting, season with salt, pepper, bits of onion, green pepper, garlic or parsley as one's taste dictates. When the meat is cooked surround with small cooked bananas and pour over the bananas two cupsful of Polyvade sauce. The bananas may be baked in the pan with the roast or in a separate saucepan. Cook them about twenty minutes.

Polyvade Sauce.—Put two tablespoonfuls of the trimmings from the salt pork into a saucepan and cook slowly until the fat is drawn out. Add two slices of onion, five slices of carrot, two sprigs of parsley, a bit of bay leaf and a slice of green pepper. Let cool until all are softened and yellowed. Drain off the fat, add one-fourth of a cupful of vinegar and let stand on the back of the stove until the vinegar is reduced one-half. To the fat drained from the vegetables add butter to make four tablespoonfuls. When hot add four tablespoonfuls of flour and let cool until slightly brown, then add one and one-half cupfuls of brown stock and stir until boiling. Add the vegetables and vinegar, boil up once, then strain over one-half cupful of sultana raisins cooked tender in boiling water; finish with three tablespoonfuls of grape juice and the same of currant jelly.

Peach Sherbet.—Boil one quart of water and two cupfuls of sugar 15 minutes; let cool and add one and one-half cupfuls of peach pulp and juice and the juice of one lemon. Freeze as usual.

"The next time worry claims you,
Straighten up and take a walk;
It's useless to keep brooding,
And above all—do not talk.
When once you're in the open,
Fill your lungs brim full of air,
Enjoy each breath and motion,
And for better luck prepare."

EVERYDAY GOOD THINGS.

There are few people who can resist a piece of nicely baked corn bread.



Country Corn Bread.—Sift together three-quarters of a cupful of cornmeal, half a cupful of flour, one-quarter of a cupful of sugar and half a teaspoonful each of soda and salt. Beat one egg, add one cupful of thick sour milk—butter-milk is better, or, still better, sour cream—and three tablespoonfuls of shortening, melted; stir into the dry ingredients and bake in a shallow pan 25 minutes.

Delicate Muffins.—Sift together one and one-half cupfuls of flour (pastry), two and one-half tablespoonfuls of granulated cornmeal, four teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one teaspoonful of salt and one-third of a cupful of sugar; add three-quarters of a cupful of milk and three tablespoonfuls of melted butter; mix together thoroughly and bake in hot, well-buttered muffin irons 25 minutes.

Cream Cheese Salad.—This may be made with any variety of soft cheese. To two cream cheeses add two tablespoonfuls of cream, one pint of 24 olives and half a cupful of blanched almonds—the ingredients are chopped very fine and separately; mix all together thoroughly with a wooden spoon; press into a mold lined with paraffin paper. When firm and chilled, unmold and cut in slices. Serve on crisp heart leaves of lettuce with French dressing.

Stuffed Veal Cutlets.—Pound a thin slice of veal to one-eighth of an inch in thickness, cut in pieces three by five inches. Add one-half pound of chopped veal, one slice of bacon, chopped; one-half cupful of bread crumbs, softened in milk and squeezed dry, one teaspoonful of onion juice, one teaspoonful of salt, paprika to taste, a half cupful of chopped mushroom stems. Mix and spread on the strips of veal, roll and fasten with wooden toothpicks and sear in hot salt pork fat. Put into a casserole, add stock (hot) or milk, peas, potato balls, carrot balls, mushroom caps from one-half pound of mushrooms. The vegetables except the mushrooms should be parboiled and cooked in fat until slightly colored before adding to the casserole. The mushrooms should be cooked in butter five minutes before adding. Add a little flour blended with some of the milk or stock and cook in the oven until the vegetables are tender. Serve from the casserole.

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Christmas Toys the Boys Can Make

By A. NEELY HALL

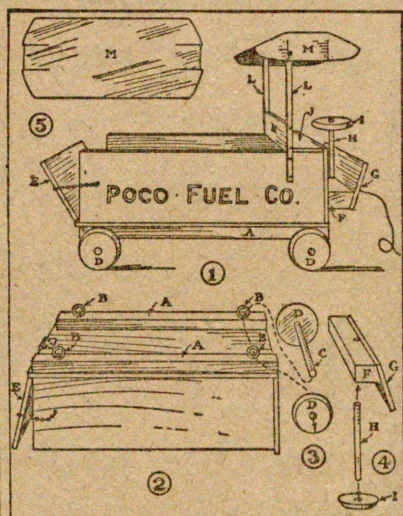
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When painted in bright colors, the toys shown in the illustrations will be as pleasing to those young relatives whom you wish to remember on Christmas, as any similar toys in stores.

The auto truck shown in Fig. 1 has a cigar-box body 5 inches wide, 8 inches long and 2 inches deep. Cut wooden strips A (Fig. 2) 1 inch wide and 1 inch thick, by the length of the box, and nail them to the box bottom close to the sides. Screw screweye axle bearings B into these strips. The screweyes should be ¼ inch in diameter, because the wheel axles C (Fig. 3) must be of this diameter to fit the holes of the spool wheels D. The wheels are spool ends.

Remove the rear end of the box and hinge it to the box bottom (E, Fig. 2), for an end gate.

Fig. 4 shows a detail of front platform, F, dashboard G, steering post H, and steering-wheel I—a spool-

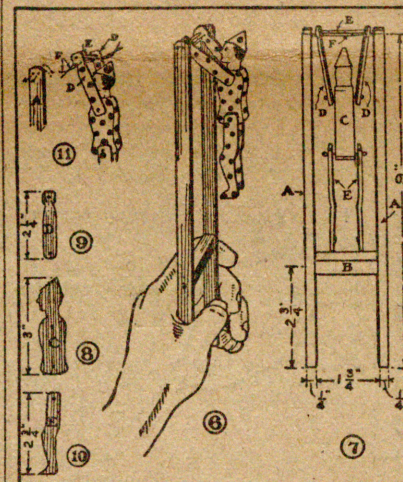


end. Fasten these pieces as indicated. Fit seat J across the box top, and seat back K to its edge. Nail canopy supports L to the seat back and box sides, and tack the canopy M to the supports near the top.

The clown turner (Fig. 6) is made to perform upon his turning-pole by squeezing the lower end of the up-rights. The squeezing causes a pair of threads F (Fig. 11) to untwist then twist, and the untwisting and twisting makes the clown turn.

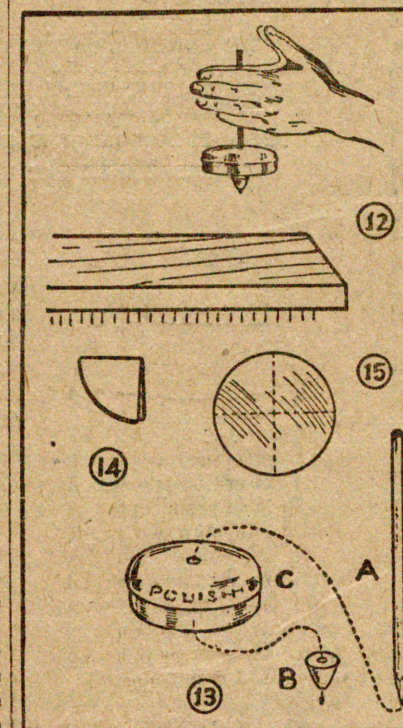
Fig. 7 shows dimensions for up-rights A and connecting block B. Fasten B between strips A as shown.

Patterns for the clown are shown in Figs. 8, 9 and 10. Cut the body members out of cigar-box wood, punch holes where indicated, and with pieces of hairpins or other small



wire, pivot the arms and legs to the body. Pierce a small hole through each hand, and whittle the ends of a match to fit in the holes. The match (E, Fig. 7) forms the turning-pole. With a coarse needle pierce a pair of holes through the arms at the wrists, and another pair through up-rights A, near the top. Run heavy linen threads through the holes in the wrists, and twist their ends (F, Fig. 11), then run the ends through the holes in up-rights A, and tie. The threads must be twisted when the clown hangs down (Fig. 11), untwisted when he has swung up over the pole.

The top in Fig. 12 requires little description. A pencil with a blunt point (A, Fig. 13) pushed through a spool whittled cone-shaped (B), forms the spinning point, and a shoe-polish



can (C), pierced to push over the pencil end and rest upon the spool end, completes the top.

The top is spun by twirling the pencil between the palms, in one direction, then the other alternately (Fig. 12).

Small Gifts Made of Box Boards

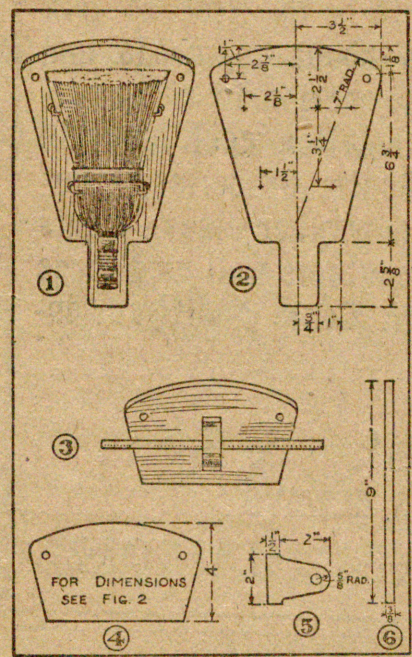
By DOROTHY PERKINS

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Box boards can be used in the making of practical Christmas gifts, especially small gifts.

Whiskbroom holders never fail to please. The holder in Fig. 1 requires a single board of the dimensions shown in Fig. 2.

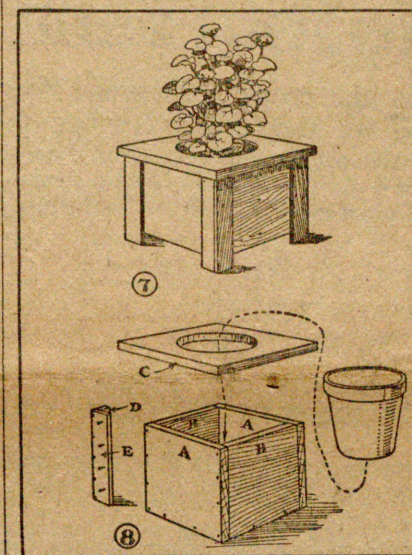
Use a small saw for cutting. Cut a trifle outside of the outline, then finish



to the line with plane and sandpaper. Bore a pair of holes near the top of the board, in the positions shown, to slip over wall hangers.

Two coats of white enamel make a nice finish for a bedroom whiskbroom holder. If the wood is clear, you can shellac and varnish it, or stain and wax it. A stain can be made of oil paint thinned with turpentine.

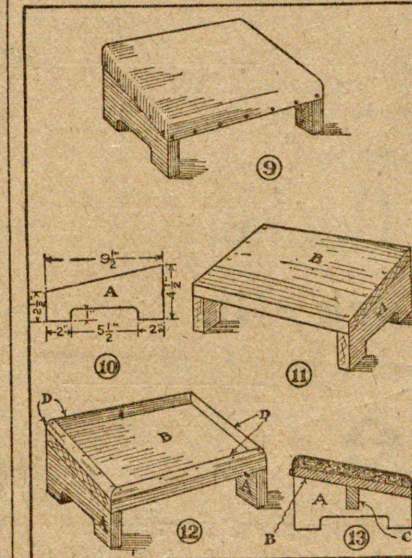
The necktie-rack in Fig. 3 has a back of the dimensions of the upper part of the whiskbroom holder; therefore, if you make the holder first, you can mark out the tie-rack board from it. Figure 4 shows the height to make the back. Bore holes for hang-



ers. Figure 5 shows dimensions for the rod bracket, and Fig. 6 shows dimensions for the tie-rod. Bore the hole for the rod through the bracket before cutting out the block, to prevent the possibility of splitting while boring. A carpenter's dowel-stick, flagstaff, or stick whittled to the diameter given, may be used for the rod. Center the rod upon the bracket, and center the bracket upon the back.

The plant-stand shown in Fig. 7 is designed to conceal the earthen pot of a potted plant.

The diameter of the pot will determine the inside width and length of the box. Make the inside depth an inch less than the depth of the pot. Figure 8 shows how sides A nail



to the ends of sides B, and how the bottom fits between the sides.

Cut top C to fit the top of the box, with a projection of 1 inch all around. Cut the center hole a trifle larger than the pot, so the pot will slip in and out easily. After the top has been nailed on, prepare the corner strips D and E, nail them together and nail a pair to each box corner.

The footstool in Fig. 9 will be appreciated by every lover of a good book and an easy chair. First prepare end pieces A by the pattern of Fig. 10, then top board B. The length of B should be 14 or 16 inches, the width will be governed by the length of pieces A. Nail top B to pieces A, then cut brace C (Fig. 13) and fasten it between runners A. To the edges of top B nail strips D (Fig. 12). Round the top edges as shown.

Pack dampened excelsior between strips D (Fig. 13). Then over the excelsior stretch a piece of cloth, and tack it to the edges of top B.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

MRS. EMEU.

"How I've improved things," said Mrs. Emeu.

"Might I be so bold as to ask what you have improved?" asked Mr. Emeu.

"Well, I've seen to it that the Mr. Emeus didn't become spoilt."

"Haven't all the Mrs. Emeus seen to that?" asked Mr. Emeu.

"Ah yes, they have. They have been a fine lot. It has all been because of the first Mrs. Emeu. She was a leader if there ever was one. She told what she had done to the Miss and Mrs. Emeus who came after her, and she asked us all to follow her example which we all have done. We've all helped improve things."

"None of us have ever changed. We've all been as she was, and as I said before, she was a great leader."

"Just think, thousands or hundreds or some such number of Mrs. Emeus have followed in the footsteps of the first Mrs. Emeu."

"Of course they haven't exactly followed in her footsteps. That is, they haven't walked where she has walked. They have gone in different yards and walked on different grounds, but their ways have been the same, and so we say they have followed in her footsteps."

"We're queer looking creatures and our funny heads often make people laugh. Our necks are covered with collars which look like hay, and our heads are quite amusing. Our beaks are rather pointed and our little eyes look out at the world in a funny way."

"We don't look out at the whole world," said Mr. Emeu.

"Well, you know what I mean," said Mrs. Emeu. "From our yard here in



Look After the Eggs.

the zoo we gaze upon the people who pass, and people help to make up the world, and so I say we gaze at the world.

"It's far easier than saying each time that we gaze at people and that people help to make up the world."

"We come from Australia, you know, and they call us birds, I believe. We're almost as large as the ostrich family, but not quite. I mean that each of us is almost as large as an ostrich, that is what I mean."

"Of course, I don't mean the South American ostrich, for we are each larger than each of them. But I meant that we were almost as large as the African ostrich."

"Do you agree, Mr. Emeu?"

"Certainly, certainly," said Mr. Emeu.

"I was speaking," said Mrs. Emeu, "of the fine way we act and of the way the first Mrs. Emeu taught us all to act."

"We lay the eggs and then we make our mates look after the eggs and care for the young. All we do is to lay the eggs. We don't do any of the sitting or watching or waiting or training of the young."

"The first Mrs. Emeu said, young Mrs. Emeus, and young Miss Emeus who will soon find your mates, do not wear yourselves all out in working. Change the scheme of things and make your mates do the work."

"You will find that they can do it, too. Mr. and Mrs. Ostrich take turns in sitting on the eggs, but don't even do as much work as that. Just let Mr. Emeu do everything but the laying of the eggs."

"And you will be interesting and different, and creatures will say, 'Gracious, aren't they the bosses though!'"

"So, remember my words, for these are the ways that emeus should do. And we have remembered. Even here in the zoo where we also lay the eggs, we get our mates to do all the work, and creatures think it is most interesting."

"Ah, we're queer looking with our great long legs like stilts, and our bodies which look like hay stacks. And we're cross in the spring—we get a sort of cross spring fever. The fever is lacking, but the crossness is present."

"But we're interesting, for we make our mates do practically all the work, heigh ho, and we are the lazy, curious Mrs. Emeus."

Edward Was Parked.

Mother was without a maid, so she found it necessary to leave Edward in her mother's care quite often.

One day a neighbor of grandmother asked Edward if he was living with his grandmother now.

"Oh, no," said the little fellow; "mother just parked me with grand-ma while she went to a card party."

Another Royal Suggestion 3-Egg Angel and Sunshine Cakes From the NEW ROYAL COOK BOOK

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Angel Cake
1 cup sugar
1 1/2 cups flour
1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup scalded milk
1/2 teaspoon almond or vanilla extract
whites of 3 eggs
Mix and sift first five ingredients four times. Add milk very slowly, while still hot, beating continually; add vanilla; mix well and fold in whites of eggs beaten until light. Turn into ungreased angel cake tin and bake in very slow oven about 45 minutes. Remove from oven; invert pan and allow to stand until cold. Cover top and sides with either white or chocolate icing.

Sunshine Cake
3 tablespoons shortening
3/4 cup sugar
yolks of 3 eggs
1 teaspoon flavoring extract
1 1/2 cups flour
3 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder
Cream shortening; add sugar gradually, and yolks of eggs which have been beaten until thick; add flavoring; sift together flour and baking powder and add alternately, a little at a time, with the milk to first mixture. Bake in greased loaf pan in moderate oven 35 to 45 minutes. Cover with white icing.

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DISLIKE SONS TO GROW UP OF SUCH THINGS ARE DREAMS

Few Mothers Welcome the Time When Their Boys Go Out Into the Hard World.

Remarks That Might Well Be Classed Under the Head of "Impossible Paragraphs."

Almost every mother keeps her boy in "knee pants" just as long as she can; she hates to see him becoming a man, for she feels that he is getting away from her.

A mother sees only with reluctance the boy pass from the love and care and peace with which she has surrounded him, out into the world of pitiless endeavor in which he must play his part.

The mother's selfish fondness discloses itself in the ludicrous child's garment and the worn-out, home-bred horse with which she sends forth the would-be knight. These are to the modern analytical mind painfully symbolic of the unconscious interference on the part of parents with the proper adult equipment of their children for an independent life. Their apparent fondness conceals the unconscious wish that the child will find himself unequipped for the greater world and compelled to turn back to the shelter.

—New York Medical Journal.

Higher Mathematics.

Sambo—Say, Rastus, if yo' saw five chickens in a yard and yo' pinched one, how many would be left?

Rastus—Dere'd be fo' left.

Sambo—Ho, ho, dat's de joke. Dem fo' see yo' ugly face and fly away.

Rastus—(after much cogitation)—Dem fo' fly away, yo' say?

Sambo—Yassah. 'At's what Ah said.

Rastus—Well, den, didn't dey leave?

Wasn't dey fo' left?—American Legion Weekly.

Guaranty of Ease.

"She married him for love, didn't she?"

"Yes, with his money as collateral."

—Boston Transcript.

The Absent Back.

Cortlandt Bleecker was supping in a roof garden restaurant the other night when his companion nudged him and said:

"Look, there goes Merriweather. Poor duffer, every cent he earns goes on his wife's back."

"Then, by heaven, he must have lost his job," said Mr. Bleecker. "Judging by the dress I saw his wife wearing at a dinner dance last week."

Corresponding Clue.

"The police seemed to know the fellow by his gait."

"Why shouldn't they? He's a fence."

A drowning man will catch at a straw.

Coffee is often the hidden cause of many ills and discomforts

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The Perfection Curtain window is becoming more popular every day. Thousands are in use serving to beautify the automobile and in addition furnishing clear vision through the rear and rear side curtains. Every day hundreds of motorists are bringing their cars up-to-date by installing Perfection Curtain Windows.

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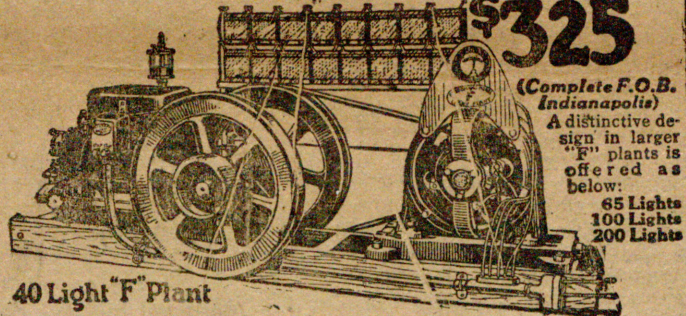
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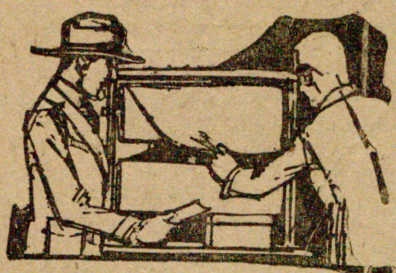
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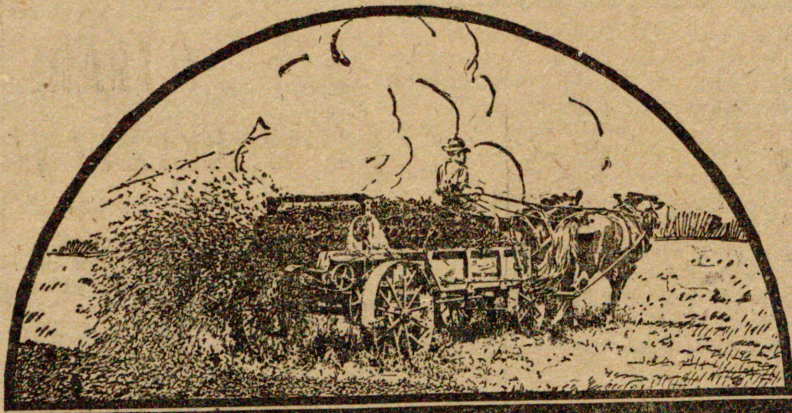
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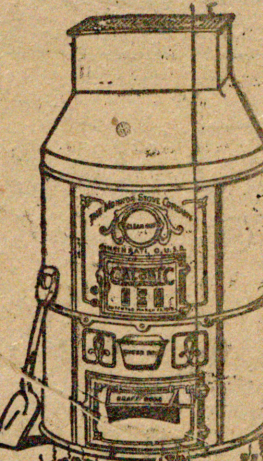
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Alas!
No man has the courage to tell a woman what her mirror does.—Chicago News.

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All excellence of every kind is but variety of truth.—Washington Allston.

Concerning Whiskers.
"The effect of whiskers," said Jud Tunkins, "depends on who happens to be wearing them. On a regular man they look like whiskers, but on some people they look like summer furs."

Physicians Indorse Pie.
A study of how the stomach digests pies, puddings and cakes, made by a group of Philadelphia physicians, was published in the American Journal of Physiology (Baltimore). The general conclusion to which they came is that the pies are taken in the stomach more readily than cakes, and puddings more readily than either.

Poser for Mother.
The subject of a Sunday school lesson was the golden rule, so during the next week when little Anna was naughty and her mother had to use her stick real hard and put her in a chair to reflect, she asked Anna what she thought about it. Anna replied: "Mother, do unto others as you want them to do unto you. You don't want me to whip you, do you?"

Air Travel.
Some enthusiasts express the opinion that eventually it will be cheaper to travel by air than on the surface. For one thing, no expensive railway tracks are needed, but terminal stations are a prime necessity. However, it will be a long time before railroads and steamships outlive their usefulness.—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Just Like Home.
Mother and I went into a drug store and ordered chocolate sundaes. When finished I piled up the dishes, as I had been taught to do at home, and carried them to the counter. Of course, everyone smiled and I realized what I had done. It didn't take me long to get out of the store.—Exchange.

Wouldn't Be Overcharged.
One Sunday morning Robert's mother gave him two nickels to put in the collection basket at church. Robert and his mother were late that morning and had to sit in the balcony. Robert's mother noticed that he put only one nickel in the basket when it passed him. On the way home she asked him why he did this. He replied: "Why, mother, you know balcony seats are always half price."

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How It Sounded to Him.
At a big railway station a four-year-old youngster wonderingly watched the man step out on the balcony and call the stations of the outgoing train through a megaphone. When the announcer finished and resumed his seat the youngster pulled at his mother's hand. "Oh, mamma," he said, "ask the man to sing another song!"

Life's Preparation for Death.
Life is more important than death. In fact, the work of death can only be safely done in life. The practical truth is that which touches us at once, the most sober and solemn view of life, that every single thing we do is actually making death either harder or easier.—Faber.

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Our pastor remarked in his searching way yesterday that he often fears some members of his flock, if they prayed exactly as they feel, would phrase it this way: Lead us not into temptation, unless the chance is exceptionally good and no one's around.—Ohio State Journal.

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Queer, but True.
Do right a thousand times and you will never hear of it. Do wrong once and you will hear of it a thousand times.—Unidentified.

How Gasoline Destroys.
The bureau of biological survey says that practically all insect life obtains its supply of oxygen through little holes in the body. When such oily substances as gasoline come in direct contact with these pests it is impossible for them to breathe, and death shortly ensues.

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CHAPTER XI—Continued.

He was a curious instrument of such abstract justice. He served fate as if it had sworn out a police court warrant. As a nemesis he was a clown, or at least a beadle or a bailiff. The manner in which he served inevitability will appear. Mr. Sidney's crime, I soon saw, whatever manner or kind of crime it had been, was one of unescapable consequence.

"A man named Dravada," said Morgan, after we had looked at each other in interrogative hostility for an instant, "has come to our agency with a very strange tale. From what I learn of the things he and his disreputable attorney have done, I can see that they are heading directly into the penitentiary. I understand that the lawyer is dead and that all their schemes are closed. Dravada has come to our agency, and I have come directly to you. I want you to understand our methods of doing business. They are honest. The paper Dravada carries about him says that crime has been committed. Are you familiar with that paper?"

"I have seen what a blackmailing lawyer said was a copy of a sheet in the possession of Dravada."

"I am not much of a literary man," said Morgan, taking from a black leather case a manuscript which he handed to me, "but I've read 'The Moonstone,' and this looks to me like a couple of chapters copied out of it. Probably you are familiar with 'The Moonstone.'"

"I have read it several times."

"Then what do you make of that manuscript?"

I looked at several of the pages. The manuscript was a copy of part of "The Moonstone."

"I am right, then," said Morgan. "'Moonshine' it had better be called. That's the manuscript the maid stole out of your man Jed's room and that Dravada took after the lawyer had been killed. Here's my reasoning—maybe you will be interested: This man Jed and this fellow Dravada worked for Mr. Sidney in Montevideo. Dravada is a thief; Jed isn't much better. Dravada got one sheet of a manuscript that had something to do with a concealed crime. Jed got the rest of the manuscript, so Dravada says. Dravada has been trying to make Jed go 50-50. He has been trying to get the rest of the manuscript. He'll murder Jed yet."

"Now here's the way I look at it: A man like Jed does not go to the trouble of copying a couple of chapters of 'The Moonstone' and planting the copy in his room just to devil a desperate fellow like Dravada. He does



"I Suppose You're Something to Miss Sidney, Too."

it for a purpose. That proves he has the real manuscript. That proves there is a concealed crime. Our agency is interested in finding out what that crime was. As an agent of the law I am interested in this case. Are you? Is this family interested?"

"I am not, and the family is not."

"I'll take your word for it, but I'll see Mr. Sidney."

"It is quite impossible. He never sees callers. I am his doctor. I should forbid it."

"Then I'll see Mrs. Sidney."

"That also is impossible. I am her representative."

"Well, I'll talk to Miss Sidney."

"That also is out of the question."

"I suppose you're something to Miss Sidney, too."

"I am her fiancé."

"You are a little bit of everything around here. Well, how about seeing this man Jed?"

"That can be arranged," I said, and I rang for Jed. When he came in, I said:

"Jed, this is Mr. Morgan, of the Metropolitan Detective Agency. He wants to talk to you."

"Yes, sir," said Jed, and I went out of the room.

In about twenty minutes Jed came to me again.

"Mr. Morgan wishes to speak to you once more," he said.

"Well?" I said, looking at him inquiringly.

"A downright, direct and positive sort of a person," he said, smiling, "but although keen, not a real intelligence. He is waiting for you, sir."

CHAPTER XII.

Mr. Morgan was pacing forth and back in the office much enraged.

"Look here," he said. "This does not get us anywhere. My time is valuable. I am wasting a lot of it. I'll tell you now I've got enough information to know this is the sort of case we like, a tough case. I haven't been fooled a bit. You may not be interested, but I'm interested. Do you get that, Mr. Doctor, Mr. Representative, Mr. Fiance? I'm interested. This case is going to be gone into. There's a crime concealed somewhere which will do our agency good to discover. We shall do it for money. We shall do it for publicity. The advertising will be worth thousands of dollars to us. Do you understand me?"

"I know you can make life very miserable for us for a couple of days. You will have to use your own judgment."

"I can pack that lawn out there with reporters and photographers from the city. They'll see and talk to Mr. Sidney. Take my word for that. They'll see and talk to Mrs. Sidney and to Miss Sidney. I can bring that down to you by midnight."

"The house has some protections," I said. "You might suggest that to the newspaper people for their own good."

"The shyder and that common thief Ann Forth got in, didn't they?"

"I don't know Ann Forth."

"No, but you know Agnes Mitchell. Well, you know Ann Forth, man. Say, you simpleton, you don't know what you're up against. This story just as it stands—copy of sheet from manuscript—Spaniard—running off with Jed—thief of manuscript—death of shyder—Ann Forth back in house—hidden crime—millionaire recluse—beautiful daughter—haunted house—its copy for every paper in the country."

I knew it and was appalled by the certain prospects.

"It would be a very cruel and useless thing to do," I said, "but as I told you, you must use your own judgment. We are not interested in this child's nursery story you are following, and I do not intend to have people who are not well disturbed by the questioning of a detective."

I knew how to deal safely with Morgan, but the method was out of the question. I should indeed have been a simpleton if I had not known. All I had to ask was "How much?"

We were wholly resolved against paying blackmail, knowing that it was only a gradual descent to ruin. It was better to go in one direct plunge if it were fated.

Morgan looked at me steadily for a few moments as if giving me a chance to listen to the voice of reason. His method had been perfect. He was beyond a legal suspicion, and I knew he was dangerous.

"Well, young man," he said at last, "we are both wasting time—at least I am. But it's only fair to you to tell you that this is not the end of the case. It's the kind of a case we like, something tough and difficult. We may not make any money out of it, but when we are ready, we at least shall be paid in publicity. You needn't be afraid of the reporters and photographers just now. It's too good a case to waste that way. There's always that, no matter what we turn up."

"This case is just good enough to spend some money on. It's just good enough to send a couple of men down to Montevideo. I'll tell you in advance that is what we're going to do."

"We'll go into the life of Mr. Sidney with a fine-tooth comb, and we'll do it well. We are accustomed to doing such things well. And we'll do this well. We'll get something here or in South America. We'll follow that something until we know why Jed copied two chapters of 'The Moonstone' and hid them in a box built in the springs of his bed."

"Then we'll come back here and ask for a little more co-operation in serving the purposes of the law, and if we don't get some help, the reporters and photographers will be swarming on the lawn. That's all, Mr. Doctor."

I knew at first glance that Morgan's face was malevolent. Now I saw it extraordinarily so.

"I'll have Jed show you the door," I said.

"And tell him we do not know whether we take Dravada to South America or not. It will make him happy."

Jed was scrupulously the servant as we dismissed Mr. Morgan.

That was the fashion in which inevitability entered the house. We were no longer dodging chance. Morgan surely and certainly represented fate. It had become only a matter of time when in one fashion or another the security of this home, so carefully studied, would be invaded successfully. That was apparent. It might be that Morgan would be able to expose us to nothing more than the publicity he mentioned. But that was sufficient; it would be destructive.

I had telephoned McGuire, telling him of Morgan's part in the new turn of events, and he later informed me that two of the Morgan agency operatives had sailed for South America, taking Dravada with them. The hunt had begun—but a long way off.

The hunters knew as much of the quarry as I did, and I had no way of knowing whether it was likely that they could find a trail back to Hartley house. It was impossible not to feel uneasy. Dravada had been to me, whatever he had been to Jed, merely an incident grotesque and extravagant, a preposterous dash of color in odd conditions. The lawyer had been resourceful and cunning enough, but his actions had to be those of a slinking feral animal. He was not to be greatly feared, but Morgan was. He had the machinery for the work. His cupid was aroused. Every rascal who smelled the mystery of Hartley house became eager to follow the scent into the strong box of the house.

I thought I was not assuming enough responsibility. I asked Mrs. Sidney again if it would be of service to give me the secret of the house. I told her I was far from certain that my reliability and trustworthiness had been established, but if they had been, and if the question were merely one of fidelity and stanchness, I hoped I could be regarded loyal.

"If only those qualities were involved, John," said Mrs. Sidney, "you could have the inmost secrets of my soul. I would trust you with anything anywhere, but for your own salvation I would not have this terrible thing in your consciousness. Knowledge of it would curse you. It will be unless there is expiation in a great love, and exculpation in self-sacrifice. Jed's soul is gone beyond redemption. I dare not think of Mr. Sidney nor of myself. But Jed is a gross sinner."

She was by nature and wish an unemotional, untheatrical lady, but she was dramatic in her seriousness. Then she said:

"I should like to have you for a son."

I was much embarrassed—the more so when she kissed me. To conceal some disconcerting emotions I laughed awkwardly and went on about my business. I was to go blindfolded into the intricacies of the strangest situations I ever encountered.

With early October beautiful days came and brought tranquillity. Life is full of zest in October, the rich, rare month of the year; physical senses are made more sensitive. Hartley house blazed out in autumn splendor. What had been beautiful before was now glorified.

I could have hours, but not complete days of happiness. I could use my common sense part of the time, but Isobel broke it down at other times. Occasionally I thought her willful and tried to believe that she amused herself by playing the devil with the only man available, but when I came to my senses, I knew I was a fool.

All she did was to associate frankly and friendly with the only available man, and if she liked to be with me, it was a compliment I did not see that I deserved.

With the return to normality, with Jed back and immediate alarms quieted, our family routine was re-established. Dinner, which had been less the sociable occasion that it might have been, because of Jed's malevolent superserviceability, became a pleasant event.

Heretofore Jed had made it a point to restrict and embarrass our attempts at easy conversation. Now he withdrew and left us to ourselves.

It was owing to this extraordinarily favorable disposition that I, coming to dinner one evening in a sullen mood, had opportunity to take up a subject which concerned me.

"Mrs. Sidney," I said when Jed had placed the coffee-tray beside her and had retired, "I must ask you to release me from the absurd position I am in."

"What position, John?" asked the kindly lady.

"I am engaged to Isobel," I said.

"Which is a torment and a trial," said Isobel.

"It is," I replied with warmth. "It is

a trial and a torment from which I wish release. I do not want to be hedged in by the absurdities of this arrangement."

"John, my boy," said Mrs. Sidney, "what's happened to you?"

"Nothing, but I'm confused. I'd feel better if Isobel and I were not on this preposterous footing."

"But there was a reason," Mrs. Sidney suggested mildly, "and it still exists, and we relied upon you, John. We don't want to make you unhappy, but you don't care for Isobel. That's so apparent, and it helps us so much."

"I don't care whether he cares for me or not," said Isobel suddenly. "We are going to remain engaged. Get your precise mind reconciled to the fact, John. While you are in this house, you and I are engaged to be married."

"Isobel!" her mother exclaimed.

"I'm going to have the freedom that this man John brings me as my betrothed," said Isobel. "Both of you can reconcile yourselves to that, John, you are a victim. You are engaged to me, and I know you are unhappy. Mother, you see me do things because I am engaged to John. Well, I intend to remain engaged and to do things—and I love you both."

And, by George! she danced up and kissed her mother and kissed me.

CHAPTER XIII.

At times I hated myself as a methodical person, but it did no good. I was methodical, and from it there was no escape. I kept a diary. And each night as I made an entry, I turned back to the day of the year before. In doing so this night I read in the entry of the previous year: "Mr. Sidney made a sudden and astonishing recovery of strength. He walked about his room without assistance and was in a high degree of animation."

I recalled that night with the sharper interest because the entry I was about to make this night was substantially if not precisely to the same effect. Mr. Sidney had again revealed an astonishing recovery of strength and had displayed the greatest animation. He had asked us to have our dinner in his room, a thing very seldom done, and he had been wonderful as the majestic, courteous head of the family, full of humor and joviality.

Jed was an amiable servant, bantered by Mr. Sidney from time to time. Isobel's animation was as infectious as her father's, but Mrs. Sidney, I thought, had a look of apprehension in her eyes which was something apart from the pleasant smile on her face. She seemed to find the occasion significant, and I wonder that I had to read my diary to be refreshed in memory.

When I had read it, I also saw the significance, and turning the page in the record of the year before, I read: "Mr. Sidney is in a condition of exhaustion which might be called a complete and dangerous collapse."

Dr. Brownell, summoned in alarm, says that during his acquaintance with the case this transition overnight from extraordinary activity to exhaustion has been noted once every year and at approximately the same time of the year, if not precisely on the same date."

The apprehension which Mrs. Sidney could not wholly conceal had this good foundation. Mr. Sidney was in the periodic miracle of renewed health and strength, but for whatever cause, he would be found tomorrow morning in a precarious condition of weakness.

The event seemed so certain that I thought it best to acquaint Dr. Brownell that night of the premonitory symptoms.

I decided to telephone a message to Dr. Brownell's residence in the city, to be given to him immediately if he were awake or as soon as he arose in the morning. I did not want to be overheard, by any chance, by any one, in telephoning this premonitory message, and thought that the office would be my most secure place.

The house was not yet in full darkness when I came down the stairs to the main hall. It was lighted, and the stairway leading directly to Mr. Sidney's room was lighted, which indicated that Jed was still with Mr. Sidney.

The office door never was locked. I did not want Jed blundering in on me while I was telephoning. He would be along presently, I thought, and I decided to go out on the main portico until by the extinguishing of the lights I should know he was on his way to bed.

I was on my way to act on this plan when the light in the stairway leading to Mr. Sidney's room was extinguished, and I knew Jed was on his way downstairs. I did not have time to reach the entrance. I doubted that I even had time to retrace my steps. I did not want to meet Jed. So I stepped into a sort of little lounging space off the hall, which was quite dark.

In a few minutes Jed went by, humming, not singing. I had expected him to be very tipsy, considering the jovial mood of Mr. Sidney. It had even occurred to me that once a year, on a certain date—one to be commemorated—Mr. Sidney joined Jed in the wine and that that caused the relapse. But Jed was not drunk, his step was steady.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Something Doing Then.

If only more millionaires had the imagination of poets, sighs a Florida editor, what a wonderful world this might be! But wouldn't it be a still more wonderful world if more poets had the incomes of millionaires?—Springfield Republican.

Burke on National Defense. "Education is the cheap defense of nations," was uttered by the English statesman, Edmund Burke.

BOY SCOUTS

(Conducted by National Council of the Boy Scouts of America.)

SCOUTS IN WINTER CAMP

That camping with the boy scouts has ushered in a new era is evidenced by the vast interest shown in winter camping as opposed to the ordinary summer camp conducted during the long school vacation period.

Last season over 200,000 boy scouts in more than 25,000 neighborhood group camps of boy scouts learned the ways of the woods, and by so doing have a new interest to lead them again into the great out of doors. These youthful "Nimrods," in their enthusiasm for the conquest of the wilderness thus revealed, will in greater number this winter continue the camping program in broken doses, so to speak, on weekend and vacation throughout the days of the whole winter season, and grown-ups will wonder why they didn't discover a similar plan long ago.

Thus say the scouts: Mosquitoes we have in summer, but in winter no one is lonesome without their music. Flies are the bane of our summer existence, and won't learn to be careful where they walk, but they, too, are conspicuous by their absence after November. Swimming is not so popular in winter camps, although a few of us are hardy enough to dive in even when it is necessary to break the ice on the old swimmin' hole. Winter gives snow and ice which helps us to forget swimming, anyhow, and relieve our parents of much of the worry about canoes, boats and disaster in camp.

Yes, we must have more blankets to keep us warm and more fire wood, but wood you cut for yourself warms you twice, and the scout motto is "Be prepared." Many scouts will tent in

the snow, snug and warm with a fire inside their tent, but hints from their big brothers about trench and dugout life learned in the World war will lead many to "dig in," and so defy even the severest attacks of old Boreas.

This new development in outdoor adventure goes to prove that the American boy is no mollycoddle, and if given his way selects vigorous and even difficult tasks in scouting and camp life. Scouting is looked upon by scouts as an all-year-round game for which no rain checks are ever handed out. Most everybody can go camping in July, but only those who have camped the calendar through know the choice thrills and genuine sport that scouts have in store in winter camping.

Here is Winter Sport the Boys Enjoy. While Summer Sports Were Enjoyable, the Snappy Weather Bothered Them Not, and They Are Ready for a Long Season With Jack Frost.

SCOUTS RESCUE CLIMBER.

He couldn't get up and he couldn't get down—that was the predicament of Louis E. Seider, director of the Defender club of New York. And it fell to the lot of boy scouts to defend him from the most powerful force in the world, the force of gravity.

Mr. Seider took the notion he would scale the Palisades of the Hudson river at one of their steepest points. After ascending 150 feet he was unable to go higher or to descend in safety.

Boy scouts of Troop 89, Brooklyn, under two patrol leaders, who were hiking along a low trail, heard his call for aid and with their scout ropes and at much personal risk managed to save him. Mr. Seider proved his gratitude by writing to the boys' schoolmaster saying that he "could not express in words my feelings, but down in my heart I feel a deep regard for those boys and the scout movement."

G. A. R. POST HONORS SCOUTS.

The boy scouts of Bartlesville, Okla., have been elected life-time honorary members of the local G. A. R. post, a tribute to their services as escorts and in other ways at a reunion on last Memorial day. They have also been elected as honorary body guard for the same G. A. R. post of war veterans. It is the custom to have a Bartlesville scout sound taps at the graveside when a G. A. R. veteran is buried.

Millions for a New Stomach

One of the greatest American millionaires said to his physician, "A million dollars, Doctor, spot cash and no grumbling, for a new stomach," and then the sick man groaned and turned away.

All his wealth could not make him happy or contented, for happiness largely depends upon digestion. Without health where does happiness come in? After all the stomach plays a great part in everyday life. Without a healthy stomach and good digestion our blood is thin, watery and poor, our heart action is weak, our liver does not do its duty, and man is miserable and unhappy. Prevent disease by putting the house in order and strengthening the system against the germs of disease.

Dr. Pierce, of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., years ago understood diseases and their prevention, and he discovered certain roots and herbs which were nature's remedies, and succeeded in putting them up in a form that could be easily procured at the drug store (liquid or tablets). This he called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. This Discovery gives no false stimulation because it contains no alcohol or any narcotic. It helps digestion and the assimilation of such elements in the food as are required for the blood. It gives to the blood the food elements the tissues require. For over fifty years it has enjoyed the confidence of the American public. Try it now!

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PUSSIE'S REVENGE

LITTLE Pussie White was feeling very unhappy one morning as she sat in the barn door in the sun licking her paws.

Pussie White had only lived at the farm for a short time, and she was much younger than the other pussies, Tabble and Blackie.

The reason Pussie White was so unhappy this morning was because the two older pussies had made fun of her for not catching as many mice as they did the night before.

“Of course, she may in time be able to catch a few more than she does



now,” said Blackie to Tabble, “but I am afraid this new puss will never prove to be a good mouser like you or me.”

Tabble had tossed her head and replied that there were few pussies who could hunt mice as they did. “They may hunt for mice, my dear Blackie,” she had said, “but they do not catch them. Pussie White may in time, as you say, catch a few more mice than



LASA week when Saturday night was jusa bouta close up and queeta work I no feela very good. I gotta money but no moocha pep. I stoppa one place where sella da flowers for geeva look. Was leetle keed outside bouta seexa years old. He sella da paper but he gotta plenta left wot he no sella yet.

He aska me, “Please, meester, you lika buy da paper?” I say, “Wot's matter you no sella before dees? Everybody stoppa read for go to bed now.” I aska eef he wanta getta rich one day. He say no wanta getta rich—jusa buy hees mudda buncha flowers for Sunday. Hees name Jimmy Brown and he tella me hees fadda go dead longa time. He say tomorrow was was when hees mudda gonna hava da birthday.

“I lika to buy my mudda some flowers so I try sella more paper,” he say. “Eef I sella every one I gotta plenta money. I betta, meester, my mudda sure glad eef I geeva her flowers for da present. Wonta you please buy jusa one paper?”

You know I reada paper longa time before dat night. But I lika dat leetle Jimmy Brown alla right. I no wanta heem getta wise so I say I gotta twenty-five keeds my family and everyone wanta newspaper and I buy da whola works.

And righta queeck Jimmy smila so beeg and go buy hees mudda some flowers. He say, “Tanka you, Meester,” and den he walka home maka plenta noise weeth wheestle. He sure was glada keed alla right.

Jusa between you and me no for spreada round to Jimmy. I no gotta twenty-five keeds and I no wanta alla dat paper. But I wanta see Jimmy geeva hees mamma da beega boquet for present. I buy everyone da paper he gotta and when he ees gone I trow een da waste can.

Pretty queeck I no feela seek any more and I starta wheestle, too. Somating maka me feela good alla for sudden. Mebbe was dat tune Jimmy wheestle.

Wot you tink?



THE table fork is comparatively modern. It was first introduced in Venice by a Byzantine princess, and its use rapidly spread throughout Italy. In an inventory of the court of Charles V of France, dated 1379, there is mention of silver forks; but for some time the use of these instruments was satirized. Certain French and Scottish convents even forbade them as sinful. Their original form was two-tined; the three and four-tined varieties came later.

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she does now—she must learn something from watching two such experts as we are.”

And this was the reason Pussie White was so unhappy and as she washed her face she was thinking how she could catch more mice and show Tabble and Blackie that she was just as smart as they thought themselves to be.

Pussie White had a friend that lived down the road, so she took herself off to tell Peter Dog her troubles.

Peter was a very wise little fellow and very fond of Pussie, for they had played together when Pussie was a kitten, and she had never scratched him as the other kittens had done.

“I think I can help you, Pussie,” said Peter. “I am not at all fond of mice, but I am sure I can catch them and tonight if you can manage to keep Blackie and Tabble away from the barn I am sure we can catch mice enough to surprise those two spiteful creatures.”

That night when the three pussies were eating their supper in the farmhouse kitchen Pussie White slipped away before the others had finished.

Down the cellar stairs she ran and climbed out of the window where there was an opening for the pussies to go in and out.

When Pussie White went out she managed somehow to knock the board that was fastened on the outside and down it slipped right over the opening.

Some time later when Blackie and Tabble wanted to go to the barn for the night, as they always did, they had to stay in the cellar all night.

The next morning Pussie White did not care for her breakfast and smiled to herself as she heard the farmer's wife say to the other pussies, “I guess Pussie White caught all the mice last night and you two did not catch any, from the way you eat.”

But her revenge was complete when later Blackie and Tabble ran into the barn and could not find a mouse, for those that Peter and Pussie White did not catch the night before were frightened and ran away from the barn to live.

Tabble and Blackie did not make



BEAUTY CHATS

by Edna Kent Forbes

CRACKED FINGERS

I AM indebted to one of my readers for the following letter, which was sent me after some advice on the cure for cracked nails. The letter came some time ago, and I have saved it to use as the season approaches when nails and fingers split from the change of weather.

Says my correspondent—whose name is withheld by request—“I had cracked fingers for nearly two years before going to our family doctor. He said the condition was due to a generally anemic condition of the blood, and that this was partly due

olive oil or vaseline after the nightly hot water and soap washing, old loose gloves drawn on, if the fingers are badly cracked, and kept on all night. This is as much to protect the bed linen as to keep a supply of oil right against the skin.

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HOW DO YOU SAY IT?

By C. N. Lurie

Common Errors in English and How to Avoid Them

THE USE OF “GOT.”

THE word “got” and its derivatives, “got” and “gotten,” have their proper place in the English language, but they are frequently overworked and misused. “Got” means “to acquire, to gain, to obtain, to procure,” and it does not mean to have or to become. To say “He got a fortune,” meaning that he acquired one, is correct usage, but it is not correct to say “He's got a fortune” when one means “He has a fortune.” Say “I have a cold,” but do not say “I have got a cold” or “I've got a cold.”

Some authorities permit the use of “have got,” meaning “have,” but they call such use colloquial, meaning that it is common but is not recognized as standard. It is, however, sometimes defended on the ground that long usage has made it a part of our common speech.

“I did not get to go there,” and similar expressions, are heard sometimes, but they are examples of another faulty use of the word “get.” Say, “I could not go there,” or “I had no opportunity to go there.”

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Now Is a Good Time to Begin Getting the Hands in Condition to Avoid Chapping.

to constipation. Tonics for the blood and salines for the bowels were necessary in addition to the constant use of olive oil on my fingers.”

Olive oil, she added, had afforded her only temporary relief, but her case was a most unusual one. But this advice is excellent, and should be followed by every woman who suffers more or less from this unpleasant affliction. Salines or salts need not be used if some other laxative is used in their place. Salts as a rule are the most effective, though some women cannot keep them on the stomach.

For ordinary cases, the woman should do most of her work wearing rubber gloves, keeping the hands from direct contact with dish or scrub water, especially if the water contains borax or ammonia, or some such drying solution. Ashes, stove polish, etc., should be handled with gloved fingers. Then the hands should be rubbed with

MARGUERITE CLARK



Mrs. H. Palmerson Williams of New Orleans in private life, but universally known as Marguerite Clark, long one of the leading “movie” stars, is regarded by many as the sweetest girl on the screen. This is a recent picture of the little star.

fun of Pussie White again, but they never knew how Pussie managed to clear the barn in a single night.

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A LINE O' CHEER

By John Kendrick Bangs.

THE “NECKLACE.”

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Confirmation.

The Professor—A collector, did you say? Did you tell him I was out?

The Factotum—Yes, sir, but he wouldn't believe me.

The Professor—Humph! Then I suppose I'll have to go and tell him myself.—Michigan Gargoyle.

As She Saw It.

She (as pitcher for the home team strikes out man)—I don't see anything to cheer about. Why, the man didn't even hit the ball.—Boston Transcript.

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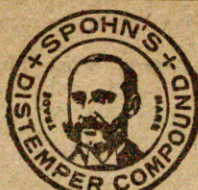
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BEAUTY MARSHALED FOR CZAR

Russian Monarch Selected Bride From the Prettiest Maidens of Land Over Which He Ruled.

In Russia, in the Sixteenth century, the choice of a bride for the czar was made from all the pretty girls of the country. Ivan, who ruled 1530-1584, being ready for a wife, ordered all the beautiful girls in the country to come to Moscow. Preliminary contests were held in each province, and candidates selected. In the majority of cases the contestants were delighted with the chance to go to Moscow, and still more delighted with hope of becoming ruler of Russia. An immense hall was built and, on the day of the choosing, 1,500 of the most beautiful girls in Russia were ready to contest for Ivan's favor.

Accompanied by an aged courtier, the czar strolled through the hall, all the girls smiling shyly or openly at his highness as he passed them. After a process of elimination was gone through with, Anastasia, daughter of an ancient but poor family, was chosen, and was made empress of 50,000,000 people forthwith.

Nothing Like It.

“That chap is a humorous writer, isn't he?”
“Not at all. He writes jokes for the funny papers.”

JOKE ON AMATEUR FARMER

He Still Has Something to Learn About the “Enormous Profits” Made by Agriculturists.

A federal official at Washington has discovered that he has still something to learn touching agriculture. Now, he purchased a farm as a summer home for his family, and finds special delight in walking about the place, commenting on the condition of the crops and in many ways showing his interest in his possessions.

One evening during the summer he was strolling over the farm. The hired man had cut the grass during the day—a very thin crop—and left it on the ground to dry. The official saw it and, calling his man, said:

“It appears to me that you are very careless. Why haven't you been more particular in raking up this hay? Don't you see that you have left dribblings all around?”

For a moment the hired man stared, wondering whether his boss was quizzing him. Then he replied:

“Dribblings? Why, sir, that's the crop!”

The average woman would rather have a little flattery than a lot of sympathy.

The discontented man finds no easy chair.—Franklin.

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CORN-STORAGE INSECTS.

How to Protect Grain From the Moth and Weevil by Treatment With Carbon-Bisulphide Gas.

[National Crop Improvement Service.] The newly planted seed, the young plants, the growing stalk, the developing ear and the sprouted grain are all subject to insect enemies. It is generally too late when discovered to combat many of them. In some years one pest may be the villain and in other years an entirely different bug.

At this time of year it is well to provide against the damage by the grain moth and the grain weevil. The adult moth is small, of light gray color, with a wing expanse of one-half inch. The eggs are of a pale red color. The moth deposits the eggs usually in the grain. The eggs are laid between the rows of corn. In four or five days the larva hatches and lives upon the grain and starchy part of the kernel. In five weeks it has attained its growth. It then burrows into the grain of kernel, makes an opening, seals it over and pupates for a few days. The adult comes out through this opening and the life cycle is complete, requiring less than six weeks. It may be dormant during the cold winter but warm spring days bring them out very rapidly.

Prevention and Remedy.

Remove all refuse and old corn each year during the summer, leaving nothing in the bins upon which the moths can deposit their eggs. Carbon-bisulphide is the most effective means to kill them. This gas should never be breathed by man or other animals and a match should never be lighted while the gas is being used.

In a moderately tight bin, one pound carbon-bisulphide will fumigate 100 bushels of grain. Where seed is racked or hung up, the gas must be applied above the grain because it is heavier than air. It leaves no ill effects on the grain.

The grain weevil has a hard body about one-seventh of an inch long. The female punctures the grain with its snout and in this cavity places the egg. The life cycle requires about forty days. The treatment is the same as for moth.

Be sure that these insects are not in the grain you intend to ship.

"LARD, PORK AND RIBS."

[National Crop Improvement Service.] Nearly everybody thinks that pork represents mostly meat that is sold in the butcher shop or at the market, but a very large proportion of this meat must be so cured that it will maintain its quality for months to come. These pork products are popularly known as "provisions" and consist of first-class lard, dried and salted sides and mess pork in barrels, all of which is carefully inspected before it is allowed to be stored or sold. The government has general supervision over the animals at butchering time, the quality of the meat is carefully inspected by the boards of trade and commercial exchanges in cities where the packing is done. Without this system packers would have to pay a very much lower price to the farmer for their product. There is an immense quantity of these meats now in storage much of which was ordered abroad but which has not moved on account of the rate of foreign exchange.



STORAGE BINS.

[National Crop Improvement Service.] Every farm bureau where there is a surplus of grain to be shipped should have a marketing organization which will first of all look after the standardization and the proper condition of the grain and the cars. There are very few cars available which are grain tight. Of course home is the cheapest place to store grain and the Iowa railroad commission recommends that elevators in grain-growing communities be of ample capacity sufficient to care for the products of the surrounding districts for an indefinite time. That would help the car-shortage problem and there is no reason why farmers should not build bins sufficient to hold their grain and ship it when the market is the highest. They can pick that time as well as any one else because the quotations are in the paper daily.

Corn left in the field will not grade and farmers suffer the loss. Even if additional elevators were provided, farmers would be put to the expense of paying storage charges which would eat up their profits, but by building bins and watching the market, they would also relieve the car shortage which comes usually because very few want to get their corn to market.

MOKENA

Mokena, Nov. 26.—Mokena is not going to be robbed of its regular winter dance season for lack of a hall, for the former Hatch store has been converted into a very attractive hall. The interior has been very neatly and attractively painted and papered and the floor polished and everything has been arranged in fine order. The opening dance was held Saturday night and a large crowd attended, taxing the capacity of the hall. Seventy-seven tickets were sold. Mr. Alfred Hatch is managing the dances. He will direct another one on November 27.

The Mokena Royal Neighbors will hold a dance at this hall on the evening of December 4.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES.

Thanksgiving services in the English language were held at the Immanuel Lutheran church Thursday morning by Rev. W. J. Kemnitz.

Thanksgiving services were held at the St. John Evangelical church the same evening by Rev. Wm. Kreis. Sunday night the annual memorial services were held at the St. John Evangelical church. There was an exceptionally good attendance.

Next Sunday morning the monthly English service will be held at the Immanuel Lutheran church.

SPENDING WINTER IN FLORIDA

Mrs. Sadie Moriarty, who was staying with Mrs. Samuel Tinley at a Beaver Crossing, Nebraska, is now at Lindhaven, Florida, where she is spending the winter with Mrs. Tinley. Mrs. Moriarty writes that the weather is fine and the orange trees are in bloom. Mrs. Tinley caught a bad cold while making the trip from Nebraska to Florida and has been quite indisposed since being there, but is somewhat better.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Burlingame a nine-pound daughter at Silver Cross hospital, Joliet, Nov. 17th. Mrs. Burlingame is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Butler.

Orland Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Grange entertained a number of relatives and friends at a dinner Sunday.

Thomas Thompson of Waterloo, Iowa, has been a guest at the Chas. Grange home the past week. While here he attended the M. E. bazaar Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roberts have been entertaining a number of guests from out of town the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Austin of Montana are visiting at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Betsy Austin. They incidentally attended the bazaar Friday night and also attended church services Sunday morning and renewed old acquaintances.

Rev. Arthur Miles of Evanston came down Friday night to attend the M. E. bazaar.

High School to Attend Stock Show. The Orland High School pupils and their teacher, Miss Davis, are going to attend the Stock Show in Chicago the first week in December. A large number of Orland people are going to attend also.

John Harlenhouse and Earl Raiser have made Orland grow a little bigger by putting up two modern homes. It is hoped that a building boom will come this way by spring.

A duck and geese raffle was held Saturday night at the Woodman hall. The News-Bulletin wishes to get all the news possible from Orland and will gladly welcome any items of interest sent in so as to reach the office by Monday. Address communications to News-Bulletin, Mokena, Ill.

Men Who Win Life's Prizes.

The big places in all walks of life today go to the men of ideas, the men who are able to think constructively, and from time immemorial the great thinkers have been the well-read men—the men who have profited by the experience of those who went before them.

When shaving first came into vogue Romans had Barbers' Shops De Luxe.

Sardines Amusing Themselves.

Little Dick was visiting his aunt, and seeing a goldfish for the first time was greatly amused and puzzled. Finally, running to his aunt, he exclaimed, gleefully: "Oh, auntie, de sardines is walking in de water!"

Embarrassing.

I am fond of dogs, and one day while out walking I saw a little dog, thin and forlorn looking. I picked it up, intending to take it home and feed it. Just then a young man stepped up to me and said: "Pardon me, madam, but won't you please give me my dog?"

Conveys Idea of Meanness.

Thrifty habits of the rural New England deacon have resulted in the perversion of the noun and its use as a verb is well understood. To "deacon" a calf is to knock it in the head when born, hence, "deaconed" veal. To "deacon" strawberries, a custom more honored in the observance than in the breach, is to put the largest ones on top, and to "deacon" land is to extend one's fence to include a portion of the highway.

Official Bank Reports

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Report of the condition of

FRANKFORT STATE BANK

located at Frankfort State of Illinois, at the close of business on the 15th day of November 1920 as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....\$176638.76
Liberty Loan Bonds.....1000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures 10685.00
Due from Banks.....14187.11
Cash.....3435.40
Total Resources.....\$200946.27

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid in.....\$25000.00
Surplus Fund.....6000.00
Deposits.....17529.24
Total Liabilities.....\$200946.27

I, J. A. LUHRING Cashier of the Frankfort State Bank, do solemnly swear the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. LUHRING Cashier.

State of Illinois, County of Willas
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of November 1920.
FRANK J. KOHLHAGEN Notary Public.

(OFFICIAL PUBLICATION)

Report of the condition of

THE CITIZENS BANK

located at Frankfort State of Illinois, at the close of business on the 15th day of November 1920 as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

RESOURCES

Loans Discounts.....\$19665.81
Liberty Loan Bonds.....20.63.88
War Savings Stamps.....1012.20
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures 200.00
Due from Banks.....1342.20
Cash.....254.57
Exchanges Checks Collections.....2811.65
Other Resources.....93.67
Total Resources.....\$23995.798

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid in.....3000.00
Surplus Fund.....18000.00
Undivided Profits (net).....9333.80
Deposits.....176897.24
Other Liabilities, Building and Loan.....5906.94
Total Liabilities.....\$23995.98

I, F. L. HASENJAEGER Cashier of The Citizens Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. L. HASENJAEGER Cashier
State of Illinois, County of Will, ss
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of November 1920.
HAROLD C. FOLKERS Notary Public.

Machine Worth Having.

"The typewriter will never be perfect," says the Syracuse Herald, "until it can go ahead and write something without somebody telling it what to say." Which reminds us of what Kipling in his livelier days wrote as a testimonial for a certain machine. "I just start the typewriter off with a line," he said; "then I go out for a walk, and when I return there is the poem all written."—Boston Transcript.

Costly Smile for Someone.

Among types of humor is the humor of the types. Example: The "expansive smile" of a certain "wizard of finance" got printed "expensive smile" in a local contemporary—rather a happy chance hit.

Treat for Music Lovers.

Lost musical masterpieces composed between the reigns of Henry VII and James I have been discovered in manuscript form in England and will be published. They are said to compare well with works of contemporary productions of Flanders and Italy.

Substitutes for Jade.

Recognition of the serious rise in the cost of jade is shown in the substitutes that are being made for it. The best of these is a composition in which crystal with other minerals is used, and a beautiful material of a beautiful, clear shade of green is the result. There are imitations, with pendants in the form of jade ornaments, made of celluloid, colored a deep green.

Why He Resigned.

"My dear, I would do anything in the world for you," he said. "Would you let me drive your car all by myself?" she asked innocent-like. But that was too much, and he hung his head and soon it was all over between them.—Buffalo Commercial.

You Must Believe This.

Perhaps the most remarkable freaks of lightning was that related by John Still, the famous bishop of Wells. A storm broke over Wells cathedral during a service. Afterward the bishop, his wife and many members of the congregation found themselves marked with a cross on various parts of the body. Not a soul was injured by the lightning.

Forceful Expressions.

Why in addition to other distinctive features the taint of insanity should attach to the climax leucularis is quite incomprehensible, but "as crazy as a bed bug" implies the imperative need of an alienist, while "as crazy as a coot" is equally forcible.

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Report of the condition of

MOKENA STATE BANK

located at Mokena, State of Illinois, at the close of business on the 15th day of Nov. 1920 as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois pursuant to law.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....\$220973.82
Overdrafts.....139.46
Liberty Loan Bonds.....13800.00
War Savings Stamps.....846.00
Other Bonds and Stocks.....600.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures 7200.00

Due from Banks.....34791.10
Cash.....6331.06
Exchanges, Checks and Collections 417.18
Revenue Stamps.....35.00
Total Resources.....\$285133.62

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid in.....\$25000.00
Surplus Fund.....17500.00
Undivided Profits (net).....5502.38
Deposits.....23719.24
Dividends unpaid.....12.00

Total Liabilities.....\$285133.62

I, HERBERT MORIARTY Cashier of the Mokena State Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HERBERT MORIARTY Cashier.

State of Illinois, County of Will, ss
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of November 1920.
JOHN LIESS Notary Public.

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Report of the condition of

BREMEN STATE BANK

located at Tinley Park, State of Illinois, at the close of business on the 15th day of November 1920 as made to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois, pursuant to law.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....\$114867.00
Liberty Loan Bonds.....11000.00
War Savings Stamps.....1000.00
Other Bonds and Stocks.....12357.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures 9050.00
Due from Banks.....33596.53
Cash.....4866.43
Exchanges, Checks and Collections.....192.11

Total Resources.....\$298142.07

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid in.....\$25000.00
Surplus Fund.....10000.00
Undivided Profits (net).....7773.74
Deposits.....252368.33
Contingent Fund.....3000.00

Total Liabilities.....\$298142.07

I, J. C. ANDRES Cashier of the Bremen State Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. C. ANDRES Cashier.

State of Illinois, County of Cook, ss
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ELIZABETH HARDINGER, Notary Public.

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Their Occupation.

A little five-year-old miss was visiting in the country, and was sent to the barn, where some men were shearing sheep, to look for her brother. She soon returned without him and said: "He ain't there; ain't nobody there only some men peelin' sheep."

So It Seems.
Women jump at conclusions and frequently hit; men reason things out logically and usually miss.

Always Sure to Please.
Jud Tunkins says a campaign speaker is always sure of applause because most of his audience is already on his side of the argument.

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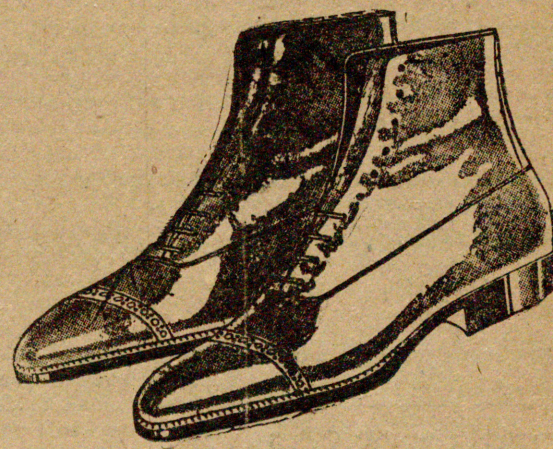
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